Cape Cod Community College

Thirty-Eighth Commencement

Thursday, May Twenty-fifth Two thousand at Seven O'clock

Providing educational excellence, professional development, and lifelong learning for Cape Cod, The Islands, and Southeastern Massachusetts since 1961

CAPE COD COMMUNITY COLLEGE
LIGHT LIBERTY AND LEARNING 1961

The community is our campus ...
the citizenry is our student body

Cape Cod Community College delivers educational programs and services to meet the diverse needs of the residents of Cape Cod, the Islands, and adjacent areas of Southeastern Massachusetts. As the sole comprehensive college on Cape Cod, it provides the only access to higher education for many residents.

The College is a student-centered learning community that prepares students for a rapidly changing and socially diverse global economy. To this end, it provides degrees in the liberal arts and sciences; career and technical degrees and certificates; and workforce education.

A strong liberal arts focus contributes (1) a foundation for transfer to baccalaureate programs; (2) general education that supports technical and career programs with communication and analytical competencies as well as broadly based liberal education; and (3) cultural opportunities for the region.

Its career and technical programs support unique workforce and economic needs in such fields as the hospitality and tourism industry, healthcare, environmental technology, and business with particular emphasis on small business and information technology. These programs provide opportunities for immediate employment and for transfer to professional baccalaureate programs. In addition, the College provides both credit courses and non-credit customized training to meet continuing education needs of employees and employers.

The success of the College has always depended upon its tradition of excellence. Thus the College truly belongs to the people it serves and who support it, and it must respond to individual and community needs. For four decades, the College has served as the foundation of post-secondary educational opportunity, career development, and cultural activity for the area and its residents. Thousands of area residents have either earned a degree, learned or updated job skills, or simply benefitted from the College's cultural offerings. In 1961, 166 students enrolled at the College. Today, we have an enrollment of over 5,000 students per semester during the day and evening.

Program

Processional . . . . . The Highland Light Scottish Pipe Band

The National Anthem . . . . . Fred W. Drifmeyer, Accompanist

Invocation . . . . . Pancheta Peterson, Minister

Greetings and Introductions . . . . . Kathleen Schatzberg, President

Charles P. Andrade, Jr., Chairman, Board of Trustees

Greetings to the Graduates . . . . . .Heidi J. Kirwan
President, Student Senate

Presentation of Awards

Excellence in Teaching . . . . . Cora Sarjeant Wilder
Vice President of Academic & Student Affairs

Alumni . . . . . Wendy K. Northcross
Appointed Alumna Trustee

Emeritus . . . . . President Schatzberg
Chairman Andrade

Honorary Degree . . . . . President Schatzberg
Chairman Andrade

Commencement Address . . . . . Paul S. Wylie
Imagine The Possibilities! Olympic Figure Skating Medalist

"Let the River Run" . . . . . College Chamber Choir
By Carly Simon Arr. Jay Althouse Fred W. Drifmeyer, Director

Presentation of the Class of 2000 . . . . . Vice President Wilder

Conferring of Degrees . . . . . Chairman Andrade
President Schatzberg

Benediction . . . . . Pancheta Peterson, Minister

Recessional . . . . . The Highland Light Scottish Pipe Band

President's Reception . . . . . For graduates, parents, friends, and community guests
Grossman Student Commons

Sign Language Interpreters during the Program . . . . . Lois Leary and Leslie Shaw

Stage flowers and greenery provided by Michael Neath Landscaping Company

Candidates of the Class of 2000

Accounting Program

Presented by Roger F. Cole

Associate in Science Degree

Heather J. Bassett
Bridgette L. Brooks
Brenda Lee Gaskill
ϕ Mary L. Powers
ϕ Judith E. Rudine
Dale Ann Viprino
Kristen L. Waugaman

Computer Information Systems Program

Presented by Kathleen M. Bent

Associate in Science Degree

Jeffrey R. Beaudoin
Alessandra R. Bertini
Ann Frances Coolidge
Cathy Ann Edison
Karen Everson
ϕ Dana Elizabeth Herbert
Heather Kyrouz
ϕ Ricardo Maurice Montejo
Jean Bernard Sagesse

Microcomputer Option

Andrew M. Collins

Computer Science Program

Presented by Mary K. Moynihan

Associate in Science Degree

ϕ Elizabeth Sarah Cash
Robert W. Kendall

Construction Technology Management Program

Presented by Mary K. Moynihan

Associate in Science Degree

Dale Clinton Davies
Maureen E. Mason

ϕ *Phi Theta Kappa*

Certificate - Construction Technology

Nathan John Simpkins

Criminal Justice Program

Presented by W. Brooks Smith

Associate in Science Degree

Anthony Allmon
Brian Thomas Bacci
Keri Jean Boccaci
Ryan Richard Carroll
Michelle A. Chevalier
Daniel D. DeVine
Kerianne E. Dittrich
Jaclyn Lee Fasulo
Hillarie Lee Gaynor
Sarah Marie Hall
ϕ Robert L. Holmes
Christopher Jones
Carolyn Eileen Jones
Erin Mary Kelley
ϕ Susan Lefcourt-Erdman
Peter David Legendre
Kim Lee Lopes
Meghan F. O'Toole
Michael D. Raleigh
William Franklin Reynolds
Brian J. Riley
ϕ Heidi Rogers
Michael James Simoneau
Sheila J. Sjostedt
Robert U. Tenaglia

Dental Hygiene Program

Presented by Nancy L. Shearer

Associate in Science Degree

Nanette Dorothea Barlow
Barbara S. Brantner
Erin J. Corcoran
ϕ Gloria A. Cusick
Kelly A. Donahoe
Jennifer Durkee
Romy G. Ferazzi
Kristin L. Grillo
ϕ Cassandra Knight
ϕ Coryn Susan Miller
Susan P. Naylor
Michaelene Sawchuk
ϕ Leslie E. Stoutenburgh
Heather S. vonHone

Early Childhood Education Program

Presented by Debra Murphy

Associate in Science Degree

Terryll Ann Altimas
ϕ Karen A. Clive
Jessica L. Culley
Linda Anne delPino

ϕ *Phi Theta Kappa*

Rebecca Ann Douville
Kristin A. Gregg
Cynthia Lynn Kent
Peggy Laffoon
Brigitte Ann LaMontagne
Christina Lynne Mendes
Mary Barbara Morse
Amanda Irene Neill
Jennifer Oliver
Lauren M. Paciello
Renée M. Richard
Melissa L. Robbins
Jacqui N. Sanders
Kathy Lynn Shanahan
Julie Marie Smith

Certificate - Preschool Education

Heidi E. Curhan
Nancy Marie Glennon

Environmental Technology Program

Presented by Catherine M. Etter

Associate in Science Degree

Jason Mohre

Certificate - Coastal Zone Management

Presented by Mary Jane Curran

Courtney J. Aboltin
Diane Y. Bondi-Pickles
Jeffrey L. Clemens
Emily Eagar
Edward M. Engelsen
Corinne B. Johnson
Lynne MacKinnon
Jacqueline Marie O'Hara
Rona Robinson
James J. Rossignol
Caitlin J. Willoughby

Certificate - Environmental Site Assessment

Presented by Mary Jane Curran

Charles W. Ferris
Edmund A. Rooney

Certificate - Geographical Information Systems

Presented by Mary Jane Curran

Douglas C. Kneale
Martine W. Meijering
Christine M. Slinko

Certificate - Wastewater Management

Presented by Mary Jane Curran

ϕ John F. Carroll, Jr.
Roger A. Hall
David A. Koshiol
Joan H. Peterson

Certificate - Horticulture

Presented by William Clark

Corey Elizabeth Harju
Douglas Schworer

Fire Science Program

Presented by Robert Tucker

Associate in Science Degree

Eric J. Goodwin
Jonathan Brooks Houde
ϕ PJ Hussey

Emergency Medical Service Option

Richard J. Harris
Glenn D. Hawthorne

Certificate - Fire Officer Development

Presented by Robert Tucker

Kevin R. Long

Certificate - Paramedic

Presented by Glen Coffin

Jamison T. J. Barros
Carol M. Burnes
Scott P. Chicoine
Eli Lee Cronbach
John Robert Cushing
Andrew M. DeFrias
Eric C. Diamond
Thomas D. Gould
Glenn MacKillop
Glenn James Olson
Andrew C. Reed
Eleanore Stockley

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Hotel Restaurant Management Program

Presented by Donald E. Witkoski

Associate in Science Degree

Linde F. Arnold
Robert E. Alexander
Kim Kathleen Crabe-Enos
Carrie Ann Gates
ϕ Nicole A. Leonard
Jennifer M. Palazzolo
Kevin W. Rezendes
Michelle Ledoux Robinson
ϕ Eugene M. Schroeder
Christina M. Sherman
Christine Tulka
ϕ Patricia S. Whitten

Certificate - Dietetic Service Supervisor

Catherine A. Davidow
Edward Patrick Verdi
Scott A. Williamson

Management Program

Presented by Michael Bejtlich

Associate in Science Degree

Keith F. Hadayia
Kurt Morgan Kross
Jennifer A. Lindner
ϕ Stephen T. Smith
Beverly J. Stewart

Retail Management Program

Presented by Michael Bejtlich

Associate in Science Degree

Mark Ronald Grenier
Janet Marie Vollmann

Nursing Program

Presented by Luise Speakman

Associate in Science Degree

Thomas P. Aiello
Teresa A. Allen
Kim M. Bailey
Shelly Lynn Battee
Becky Jeanne Bjorkman
Katherine S. Botelho

ϕ *Phi Theta Kappa*

Sonya Lee Branch
Lesa K. Breen
Kevin C. Buckley
Cheryl Ann Cavaco
Christine Ann Champa
ϕ Jolene M. Charest
Lindsay Cole
Lisa A. Corona
Bonnie Cotter
Debra L. Davies
Barbara L. Dineen
ϕ Stephen J. Dumaresq
Maureen Farrell
Kevin J. Feloney
Katherine Oliver Fulham
Alison Grace Gardiner
Sheila Garfield
Lisa A. Gay
ϕ Tasha A. Gillan
Elizabeth K. Goss
Lynn Weber Guion
Erin Maureen Higgins
Rebecca Horgan
Elsie C. Jewett
ϕ Cheranne Johnson
Christine Marie Jones
Michael John Kauranen, Jr.
Marjorie Laliberte
Jacqueline T. Lewis
Shelda R. Mather
Marion J. Matthews
Emily Christine McGowan
Ann Mary Morin
Jeannie M. Morin
Jill H. Nagle
Deborah J. Niquette
Michele Ann O'Brien
Cathleen Anne O'Sullivan
Kathryn P. Parks
Barbara M. Peterson
Kimberly S. Reynolds
Brian R. Robbins
Christine B. Rooney
Barbara S. Rush
Sharon Kaye Russas
Suzanne Ryan
Christina Savopoulou
Reneé E. Shafique
ϕ John Sheehan
Courtney Deborah Smith
Eliza Jane Speakman
Jennifer Ann Sullivan
Catherine Stewart Tebo
Priscilla B. Veasley
Michelle Lee Vigeant
Kathleen E. Weber
Rebecca E. Wood

Certificate - Gerontology

Gladyce Ames
Sister Aureen Behrend

Certificate - Tri-Level Certified Nurses Aide/Home Health Aide

Presented by Rosemary Dillon

Donna L. Anderson
Theresa M. Beaucaire
Sally A. Boudreau
Shirly Boyens
Noreen P. Burgess
Gary E. Campbell
Paige L. Churchill
Wendy Lynn Dameron
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Jennifer Lynn Poulin
Starr Denise Redd
Jill Ann Renkainen
Victoria Richardson
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Bonnie A. Robichaud
Kimberly Ann Roderick
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Amy Stagg
Bette Stever
Carol Doane Strada
Pamela Sullivan
Arlene R. Torrence
Anne Walsh
Marianne Walsh
Olga Laurette Webster
Kari Rose Wells
Kathryn B. Williams
Sadie Terese Wingard

Office Technology Program

Presented by Gail A. Guarino

Associate in Science Degree

General Office Administration

ϕ June Evelyn Custer
Jessica L. O'Leary

Legal Office Administration, Option

Amy Williamson

Medical Office Administration, Option

Erica M. DiLuzio
Allyson May Jones
Sara Elizabeth Lamarre
Ginny S. Lane
Nancy J. Rogers

Office Systems Technology

Colleen Lillian Crocker

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Certificate - Desktop Publishing

Suzanne E. Adler
Jessica R. L. Baker
MaryAnne DelConte
Joy Dexter
Marilyn Jane Massad
Cherryl A. Pavao
Kathleen Anne Wright

Certificate - General Office Administration

Michelle M. McKinstry
Patricia M. McNamara

Certificate - Legal Office Administration

Cristina Lynn Brymer

Certificate - Medical Office Administration

Lisa A. Brockney
Dove M. Coleman
Karen Lee Perry
Amy Marie Smith

Certificate - Office Systems Technology

ϕ Patricia A. Phelan
Valorie G. Shorter

Certificate - Paralegal

Presented by Zara Kilmurray

Nancy Barnard
Russell H. Cherry
Nancy E. Conroy
Kimberly Ann Fish
Candace C. Lee
Sheila A. Longeway
Patricia J. Moore
Katarina Soldatov

Associate in Arts Degree

Presented by Frances-Dee Burlin, Lore L. DeBower and Dale B. Lumsden

Jennifer Rose Ahern
David Michael Amabello
Bobbie Jo Anderson
Candace Lyn Anderson
Lauren E. Anthony
Denise M. Derosier Avola
Brian J. Baltz
Holly M. Barnes

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Robin Lee Bashore
Kathleen M. Belanger
Melanie A. Bengtson
ϕ Jennifer C. Bishop
Susan Elizabeth Boberg
ϕ Nils V. Bockmann
Michelle Ann Bonanno
Laura M. Bontempo
Jennifer J. Brabants
ϕ Amando Marshall Branion
Deborah Anne Burke
Joan M. Burke-Marland
ϕ Thomas Edward Burt
Shawn Haley Cabral
Tara Lee Carlisle
ϕ Frederick Cluthe
Gregory S. Cole
Joyce Ellen Connell
Tanya Corriveau
Jeffrey S. Craddock
Tyler William Crocker
ϕ Matthew C. Daley
Kelly A. Damiano
Jennifer J. Davis
Jayne Ann Delaney
Martine Dinsmore
Lauryn Drude
Nathan J. Dvorski
Jaime A. Erickson
Jennifer A. Erickson
Amy Estes
Lindsey Beth Farnham
Heather Fauteux
ϕ Bianca Susan Elizabeth Fernalld
Christina Maria Ferrari
Amanda Marie Field
Jodi E. Field
Amelia Sue Fingado
Annie S. Fitzelle
Christopher Michael Gibbons
Kerri Anne Gilroy
ϕ Jerrica Aerin Gingras
Kimberly Ann Gosselin
Shaun M. Gouthro
Jessica Ann Greenlaw
Nicole Kaylyn Griffin
Amanda Jane Haddad
Margaret Rebecca Harran
Patrick J. Harrington
Brianna Hedderig
ϕ Connie A. Hein
Kristine Hopp-Kelliher
Tessa Lee Hoppe
Andréa Marissa Howard
Pam Hur
Rebecca A. Iafrate
Stefanie Marie Janhola
Charlene Rae Johnson
ϕ Janice L. Johnson
ϕ Joanie Lynn Johnson
Luther C. Jones
Paul G. Kanellopoulos
ϕ Lyette Kheary Kauffman
ϕ Naomi Lynn Keeling
Elizabeth A. Kennedy
ϕ Heidi J. Kirwan
Amy N. Kraskouskas
Abby Michele Krenrich
ϕ Heather Mae Lannen
Julie E. Leary
Gelma Karina Lemus
Marc Leone
Kimberly Lee Lovering
Jodi Marie Lunedei
Ruth M. Maclachlan
Tracy J. Madden
ϕ Carol Ann Manley
Christine Maxfield
ϕ Pamela Ann May
Melanie J. McCarthy
Tara Marie Merola
ϕ Darla L. Meysman
Robert Michienzie
Jennie M. Mignone
Warren William Mohr III
Hisakazu Nakayama
Allison Joan Neal
Eric John Niemczyk
Victoria Corinne Norton
John Anthony Pacheco, Jr.
Peterson Philamar
ϕ Tracey Ann Philp
Fadner J. Pierre
Kristin Amy Powell
Fred Miles Prince, Jr.
Barbara Ann Proctor

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ϕ Brian Renard
Christopher J. Rice
Ann Marie Lillian Richard
Donna Marie Rodriguez
ϕ Kathleen Ann Schade
Emily Elizabeth Schafer
Cora Ashley Shillinglaw
Sadie Renee Sicotte
Adrienne M. Silva
David S. Silva
Krista Lee Sirois
Kellie Ann Smith
ϕ Jeannette Marie Sorace
Mamadou Sow
ϕ Laura Melissa Sparrow
ϕ Phyllis A. Sprout
ϕ Christina Elizabeth Stankevich
ϕ Amy Steensma
Deborah B. Stetson
ϕ Donna Terra
ϕ Rachel Anne Thackston
Wendy J. Tillman
Michael Anthony Tinker
ϕ Valerie Elizabeth Townsend
ϕ Robert J. Tremblay
Nicole Vanasse
Joshua R. Warren
ϕ Dusty Lynn Waters
ϕ Pamela J. Whipple
Scott A. Wight
ϕ Cynthia Diane Woerdeman
Kathleen C. Zanello
ϕ Joanne Elizabeth Zimmer

Commencement Awards and Scholarships

Aletta S. Root Scholarship
Kathleen Ann Schade
Presented by the World Federalist Association, Cape Cod & Islands Chapter

B. Carson French Scholarships
Heather Mae Lannen
Joanne Elizabeth Zimmer
Presented by Family & Friends of B. Carson French

Bridgewater State College Transfer Merit Scholarship
Kristine Hopp-Kelliher
Presented by Bridgewater State College

Cape Cod Bank & Trust Company Scholarships
Candace Lyn Anderson
Christine Maxfield

Cape Cod Community College Alumni Association Scholarship
Kristine Hopp-Kelliher

Cape Cod Community College Educational Foundation Scholarship
Cynthia Diane Woerdeman

Cape Cod Community College Student Senate Scholarships
Nils V. Bockmann
Brian Renard

Cape Cod Council of the International Reading Association Scholarship
Phyllis A. Sprout

Charles & Elsa Powers University of Massachusetts, Amherst - Cape Cod Alumni Club Scholarship
Christopher J. Rice
Presented by members of University of Massachusetts, Amherst - Cape Cod Alumni Club

College Clubs of Cape Cod Scholarship
Cynthia Diane Woerdeman
Presented by the College Clubs of Cape Cod Association

Doris A. Bates Award
Sara Elizabeth Lamarre
Presented by Colleagues & Friends of Doris A. Bates

Dr. David G. Scanlon Memorial Scholarship for International Understanding
Jayne Ann Delaney
Presented by Family, Friends & Colleagues of Dr. David G. Scanlon

Evening Stars Scholarship
Brian Renard
Presented by Evening Stars Chapter of the Bayberry Quilters of Cape Cod

Foster Furcolo Community College Scholarship
Tara Ann Frazier
Presented by University of Massachusetts, Boston

Hyannis Rotary Club - Jim Pease Scholarship
Candice Lyn Anderson

Hyannis Rotary Club - Joe Ryan Scholarship
Pamela J. Whipple

Hyannis Rotary Club Scholarships
Kathleen Ann Schade
Joanne Elizabeth Zimmer

James F. Hall Scholarship
Connie A. Hein
Presented by the Cape Cod Community College Educational Foundation

Kelly-Shea Scholarship
Donna Terra
Presented by Massachusetts Retired Teachers Association, Cape & Islands Chapter in Memory of Margaret M. Kelly & Mary Shea

Laurel & Jordan Bloom Scholar Award
Bianca Susan Elizabeth Fernalld
Presented by Friends & Family of Laurel & Jordan Bloom

Marion Jordan Scholarship
Carol Ann Manley
Presented by an anonymous donor

Peter F. Birkel, Jr. Adult Learner Awards
Bianca Susan Elizabeth Fernalld Mary L. Powers
Presented by Cape Cod Community College

Richard A. Kraus Scholarship
Thomas Edward Burt
Presented by the Cape Cod Community College Educational Foundation

Sigma Phi Alpha Dental Hygiene Honor Society Award
Cassandra Knight
Presented by the Dental Hygiene Program

Todd Landwehr Memorial Scholarship
Kim Kathleen Crabe-Enos
Presented by the Hotel Restaurant Program

University of Massachusetts, Amherst - Community College Merit Scholarships
Heidi j. Kirwan Christopher J. Rice
Presented by University of Massachusetts, Amherst

University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth - Community College Merit Scholarship
Dusty Lynn Waters
Presented by University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth

University of Massachusetts Community College Honors Scholarship
Matthew C. Daley
Presented by University of Massachusetts

Endowed Scholarships

Bernard D. & Grace S. Grossman Scholarship
Christina Lynne Mendes
Presented by Grace S. Grossman & the late Bernard D. Grossman

E. Carleton Nickerson Scholar Awards
Mary L. Powers Patricia S. Whitten
Presented by the Family and Cape Cod Community College Faculty, Staff & Friends

Ernest LeBlanc Memorial Scholarship
Ann Frances Coolidge
Presented by Barnstable County Education Association

George T. Curley, Jr. Memorial Scholarship
Carol Ann Manley
Presented by Friends & Family of George T. Curley, Jr.

Light, Liberty and Learning Scholarship
Heather Mae Lannen
Presented by an anonymous donor

Paula Hibbett Memorial Scholarship
Lindsay Cole
Presented by Family & Friends of Paula Hibbett, R.N.

Richard "Twig" Souther Progress Award
Amy Estes
Presented by Family & Friends of Richard "Twig" Souther

Thomas H. & Barbara Lee Scholarship
Nils V. Bockmann
Presented by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas H. Lee

Weezie Foundation Scholarship
Laura Melissa Sparrow
Presented by Weezie Foundation

William S. Beinecke Scholarship
Tara Lee Carlisle
Presented by Mr. & Mrs. William S. Beinecke

Commencement Marshals

Grand Marshal	Roseanna Pena-Warfield
Platform Marshal	Francis X. Doherty
Faculty Marshal	Richard H. McKey, Jr.
Student Marshals	Brian Renard Kathleen Ann Schade

Class of 2000

Officers

President	Heidi J. Kirwan
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College Chorus and Chamber Choir

The College Chorus is a long established campus institution drawing its membership from students, faculty, staff and community. Many of the soloists and members are also students in Applied Music.

The Chamber Choir was organized to provide an opportunity for carefully selected singers to acquire a high degree of performance skill through concentrated and detailed study of advanced choral literature. In the spirit of the renaissance madrigal singers, this group sometimes performs without accompaniment and always without the aid of a conductor. This is the purest form of vocal ensemble art.

Both the College Chorus and Chamber Choir have had concert tours in Britain and France. The Chorus rehearses twice weekly during each semester under the direction of Fred W. Drifmeyer.

Excellence in Teaching Award

1988	Brenda J. Boleyn	Professor of Biological Sciences
1989	Robert L. Young	Professor of Mathematics
1990	Donald S. Heines	Professor of English
1991	George A. Hoar	Professor of History and Philosophy
1992	Daniel J. McCullough, Jr.	Professor of Philosophy and Religion
1993	George A. Kahler	Professor of Biological Sciences
1994	Gary A. Getchell	Professor of Mathematics
1995	Phyllis A. Lee	Professor of English and Oral Communication
1996	Eben L. Johnson	Professor of Biological Sciences
1997	William B. Peirce	Professor of Mathematics
1998	James E. Downey	Professor of Biological Sciences
1999	Roger F. Cole	Professor of Accounting

Alumni of the Year

1983	Daniel A. Martinage *Class of 1973*	
1984	Pamela E. Terry *Class of 1977*	
1985	Stephen C. Grew *Class of 1974*	Patricia M. Kudrick *Class of 1979*
1986	Mabry O'Neal Layton *Class of 1981*	Dana A. Mohler-Faria *Class of 1972*
1987	Robert J. Borders *Class of 1975*	Dorothy G. Hemmings *Class of 1982*
1988	Betty J. Lynch *Class of 1980*	
1989	Helen W. Goolishian *Class of 1969*	Karen M. Holmes Pistorino *Class of 1976*
1990	Robert V. Matthews *Class of 1979*	Michael A. Platnick *Class of 1978*
1991	Dorothy E. Burrill *Class of 1979*	Donald R. Monteiro *Class of 1974*
1992	James M. McEvoy *Class of 1980*	Charles N. Robinson *Class of 1969*
1993	Nancy Keefe Dempsey *Class of 1972*	Eric G. Strauss *Class of 1980*
1994	Charles P. Andrade, Jr. *Class of 1971*	Marcy J. T. Smith *Class of 1966*
1995	Wendy K. Northcross *Class of 1974*	F. Lawrence Putnam III *Class of 1970*
1996	Michael G. Curtis *Class of 1984*	
1997	Roberta F. Kelly *Class of 1984*	
1998	Florence E. Choate *Class of 1980*	Barry McPhee *Class of 1973*
1999	Cynthia L. Solarz *Class of 1980*	Douglas C. Verissimo *Class of 1987*
2000	Marilyn Lima DeShields *Class of 1968*	

The Academic Procession and Regalia

Traditional commencement academic procession and regalia date back to the Middle Ages. Voluminous gowns were worn to ward off the damp and cold of medieval buildings; mortar boards were used as hats. When those styles were abandoned by laymen, clergy and scholars continued to wear the robes, with variations in style and color identifying different monastic orders. The bachelor, master, and doctor gowns differ stylistically in cut and decorative motif.

Today the hood is especially important in identifying the academic achievements of its wearer. Originally, the hoods were worn over the head. A long tassel is attached to the middle point of the top of the cap to drape over the edge of the mortar board. Tassels may be black, gold, or a color appropriate to the academic field of the wearer. The colors of the hood lining indicate the institution granting the degree. The width of the velvet trim indicates the highest degree held; the color of the trim indicates the field of study.

An intercollegiate code representing different departments of learning has set the standards for academic dress in the United States. The colors are assigned as follows:

Agriculture	*Maize*	Medicine	*Green*
Arts, Letters, Humanities	*White*	Music	*Pink*
Business Administration	*Drab*	Nursing	*Apricot*
Dentistry	*Lilac*	Oratory	*Silver Gray*
Economics	*Copper*	Pharmacy	*Olive Green*
Education	*Light Blue*	Philosophy	*Dark Blue*
Engineering	*Orange*	Physical Education	*Sage Green*
Fine Arts	*Brown*	Public Administration	*Peacock Blue*
Forestry	*Russet*	Public Health	*Salmon Pink*
Home Economics	*Maroon*	Science	*Gold-Yellow*
Journalism	*Crimson*	Social Science	*Citron*
Law	*Purple*	Theology or Divinity	*Scarlet*
Library Science	*Lemon*	Veterinary Science	*Gray*

The office of mace bearer is purely ceremonial. It derives from medieval times in England when an official was taking office or opening his court and needed a bodyguard. Then the mace, a formidable weapon, was held ready to protect the person of the dignity.

From the sixteenth century in England and since colonial days in America, it has become a symbol of office only, and is carried by a distinguished member of the faculty. The mace bearer, who immediately precedes the president both entering and leaving the ceremony, while often not included in today's exercises, remains popular on the older campuses in the East.

At Cape Cod Community College, the academic regalia of the Board of Trustees correspond to doctoral caps and gowns with gold tassels; the colorful hoods lined with red display the College colors of silver and blue. Faculty robes signify the wearer's respective university and discipline. The mace, a gift of the Class of 1984, is borne by the Grand Marshal who leads the academic procession.

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The foundation of every free nation is the education of its people.

Theodore Roosevelt